

County of Los Angeles
Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner
WEST COAST TRAINING CONFERENCE
April 20-22, 2016



Welcome and Introduction

Dr. Mark A. Fajardo
Chief Medical Examiner-Coroner, County of Los Angeles

Investigation of Hollywood Dismemberment Case

Yulai Wang, M.D., LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner
Courtney Castellino, Investigator, LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

Shooting Incident Investigation

James P. Carroll, M.S., Crime Laboratory Assistant Director/Firearm and Toolmark Examiner
LA County Sheriff's Department

Explosives Overview and Case Studies

Jacqueline Hickey, Bomb Technician, LAPD

Blast Injuries and The Global War on Terrorism

Scott Luzi, M.D., Deputy Medical Examiner, LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

Ancestry and Phenotype: Informative Genetic Markers Add Value to the Identification of Human Remains

Winters Reef Hardy, Ph.D., Senior Criminalist, LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

Utilization of Post Mortem Computed Tomography in the Practice of Forensic Pathology

Gary M. Hatch, M.D., Forensic and General Radiologist, University of New Mexico School of Medicine

Hypernatremia Due to Exogenous Salt Intake/Return to Sender

Odey Ukpo, M.D., Deputy Medical Examiner, LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

Vaccine-Preventable Diseases in Los Angeles County—They Are Still Here!

Franklin Pratt, M.D., MPHTM, FACEP, Medical Director, Immunization, LA County Department of Public Health

Riots in Los Angeles

Christopher Rogers, M.D., Chief, Forensic Medicine, LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

Nobody Expects the Spanish Inquisition

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Ligature Involved Homicides

John Bockrath, Senior Criminalist, LA County Sheriff's Department

Blood Stain Pattern Analysis

Cristina Gonzalez, Senior Criminalist, LA County Sheriff's Department

Emerging Recreation Drugs

Michael Levine, Assistant Professor, USC Department of Emergency Medicine, Medical Toxicology Section

Psychoactive Botanicals— The All Natural OD

Officer Peter Tulagan, Narcotics Expert Police Officer, LAPD

Is Race Scientific? —The Role of the Forensic Anthropologist in Matters of Race/Ancestry

Ciarán P. Brewster, Ph.D., Earth Science Department, Santa Monica College, California

Special Operations- Multiple Decedent Scenes

Lt. Elissa Fleak, Special Operations Lieutenant, L.A. County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

High Profile Case—Robin Williams Case Study

Keith A. Boyd, Sheriff's Lieutenant, Marin County Sheriff's Office

Is Your Refrigerator Running? Is There a Body in It?

Matthew J. Miller, M.D., Associate Deputy Medical Examiner, LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

Demonstrative Evidence in Death Cases

Sheldon Borenstein, Professor, Chapman University

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